Transition

TAP may include:

"HOW CAN I HELP YOU?"				
Homeless Veteran		ional Call Center for Homeless Veterans at 77-4AID-VET		
Benefit Eligibility Questions	 Videos and easy to understand 30 second eligibility quiz are available on explore.va A hardcopy and online handbook is for available benefits and qualifications information Comprehensive benefits and eligibility information are available at ebenefits.va 	VA National Call Center: 1-800-827-1000 Benefits Handbook: www.va.gov/opa/ Easy to understand videos about all VA programs and eligibility: http://explore.va.gov/ Applications and detailed eligibility: https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/		
Benefit Application/Claim Questions	Information, forms, and phone numbers are available online for Veterans and their dependents	All forms and applications available at: https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ Videos that explain how to fill out select forms: http://www.benefits.va.gov/BENEFITS/videos.asp VA National Call Center: 1-800-827-1000		
Disability Compensation Questions	 Disability compensation is a tax-free benefit paid to eligible Veterans Eligibility is determined by injuries/diseases from/aggravated by service 	All forms and information available at: https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/		
Dependency & Indemnity Compensation for Veteran's Dependents	Dependents may be awarded tax-free benefits for: Death during military service or post-service related to a service-connected disability Death after extended period of 100 percent disability	Information available at: http://benefits.va.gov/COMPENSATION/types- dependency and indemnity.asp https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/		
Post-9/11 GI Bill Benefits	The post-9/11 GI Bill pays higher education tuition, housing and stipends for Veterans, service members or their dependents Eligibility - served at least 90 days on active duty after 9/10/2001	Information available at: www.GIBILL.va.gov GI Bill Hotline :at 1-888-GIBILL-1 (442-4551)		
Insurance and TSGLI/SGLI Questions	Veterans are eligible for the following: Service-Disabled Veterans Insurance Service members' Group Life Insurance Veterans' Group Life Insurance Veterans' Mortgage Life Insurance TSGLI - SGLI Traumatic Injury Protection	All forms and information available at: http://www.benefits.va.gov/insurance VA Life Insurance Call Center: at 1-800-669-8477		
Home Loan Guaranty Program Questions or Payment on a VA- Provided Home Loan	 VA guarantees loans made by private lenders such as banks, savings and loan associations, and mortgage companies The VA provides Specially Adapted Housing (SAH) grants for severely disabled Veterans 	All forms and information available at: www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans/index.asp Payment Assistance:1-877-827-3702		



To help a Veteran in crisis, call the 24 hour Crisis Hotline at 1-800-273-8255 option 1

Health Benefits or Application Questions	VA provides Primary care Mental health care (including Veteran-specific treatment for PTSD, TBI care, etc.) Preventative care A wide variety of specialty care Inpatient and outpatient pharmacy Geriatric care Long term care and support	Application, program and eligibility Information available at: http://www.va.gov/health/About VHA.asp www.va.gov/healtheligibility https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ 1-877-222-VETS (8387)	
Locating the nearest VA Medical Center	 VA medical facilities can be found across the country, divided into 23 regional networks 	Information available at: www.va.gov VA National Call Center: 1-800-827-1000	
Access to Patient Medical Information	My HealtheVet is VA's online personal health record system designed to help VA patients manage their healthcare records and notes from medical providers	Information available at: https://www.myhealth.va.gov/in dex.html 1-877-327-0022	
Rural Veterans	The VA Office of Rural Health helps rural Veterans access medical care through VA facilities	Information available at: http://www.ruralhealth.va.gov	
Female Veterans	 The Women Veterans Health Program focuses specifically on services for women Veterans within VA health facilities 	Information available at: http://www.womenshealth.va.g ov	
Burial and memorial Benefits Information	VA offers Veterans and their dependents: Burial and honoring services, including gravesites and grave liners Maintenance of national cemeteries Headstones, markers, and presidential memorial certificates	Information available at: www.cem.va.gov https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ National Call Center: 1-800- 827-1000	Cemetery Administration
Whistleblower Complaints	 The Office of Inspector General Hotline receives, screens, and refers complaints within VA Cases are accepted on a select basis based on the most potential risk to veterans, VA programs, and operations 	Reporting information available at: www.va.gov/oig 1-800-488-8244 vaoighotline@va.gov	
Support Services for VA Employees	 The Employee Assistance Program helps employees manage personal issues in a confidential manner Local Union representatives are available to provide additional information 	EAP Information available at: 1-202-461-5931 Union information available at: http://www.va.gov/LMR/laborunions.asp	
Veteran (Vet) Center information	Vet Centers provide: Individual and Group Counseling Discharge Upgrade Information Community, Social Service and Medical Referrals Employee Assistance Referrals VA Benefits Assistance Referrals	Information available at: 1-877-WAR-VETS	

"HOW CAN I HELP YOU?"		
VA Website	www.VA.gov	
eBenefits Info	https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ 1-877-222-VETS (8387) (healthcare)	
24-Hour Hotline for Homeless Vets	1-877-4AID-VET	
24-Hour Veteran Crisis Hotline	1-800-273-8255 option 1	
For benefits, programs, and location information 1-800-827-1000		